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TRANSACTION

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 13, 2009

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the office action mailed August 13, 2009 regarding the above identified application. This response is timely in view of a petition to enlarge the shortened statutory period for response set in the action submitted herewith, including the requisite fee. Reconsideration of the rejection of the claims of this application is requested in view of the amendments and remarks presented herein.

<u>AMENDMENTS</u>

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

The specification is amended as shown on the following pages under the heading "AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION".

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The amendments to the claims appear in the following pages under the heading "LIST OF CURRENT CLAIMS". This listing of claims supersedes are prior listing of claims presented in this application, shows the current status of all claims in the application and shows currently proposed amendments.